

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of)	
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Masami Kano, et al.)	Examiner: Javaid H Nasri
)	
Title: Motor Cover And Electric Motor)	Art Unit: 2839
Equipped With The Same)	
)	
Serial No.: 10/583,226)	Confirmation No. 8220
)	
Filed On: June 16, 2006)	(Our Docket No. 4265-0070WOUS)

Hartford, Connecticut, January 14, 2009

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND ELECTION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to an Election/Restriction Requirement issued on December 15, 2008 having a shortened period of response set to expire on January 15, 2009.

Applicants hereby elect Group II, claims 13-24, drawn to an electric motor. Applicants further elect Species I, identified as Figures 1-9, and identify claims 13-16 and 19-24 as corresponding to the elected species.

Serial No. 10/583,226

Restriction Requirement Dated: December 15, 2008

Response/Election Dated: January 14, 2009

Applicants believe no fees are due in connection with this response. If any fees are deemed necessary, authorization is granted to charge any such fees to Deposit Account No. 13-0235.

Respectfully submitted,

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